

Make ‘n Take

Name of Make ‘n Take: Passes & Permits

Theme & Topic: The Indian Act of 1876 was Not Part of Treaty – The Indian Act of 1876

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Name of School: St. Andrew, Regina Catholic Schools

Grade: Four

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Procedure:

1. Divide students into two groups by any of the following methods: boy/girl; birthday months; alphabetically; eye colour; tape down the middle of the classroom.
2. Place one group of students in a small portion of the classroom, one group gets a larger area.
3. The “chosen” group is allowed to go to the washroom, get a drink, take a relaxing walk, sharpen their pencil, etc. whenever they want. The “marginalized” group must ask for a pass whenever they want permission for anything.
4. The “chosen” group is allowed to use all resources in the classroom – dictionaries to computers. The “outside” group must receive a permit to use any school resources.
5. Set up a system whereby student who request passes or permits must wait a period of time before finding out if their pass/permit will be granted.
6. Feel free to deny passes/permits at you discretion.
7. Have students write in their journals at the end to describe how they feel.